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V. C., VIRG. MIDLAND & G. S. R. R. JOHN S. BARBOUR, Receiver. songer Trains will run as follows:

South Bound.	Express.		Mail.			Passeng'	
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All trains daily on main line. arg for the West and Southwest, and at Dano for the South, South East and South West. the Mail South bound connects at Lynchburg to Momphis, Little Rock and Texas, and for atlanta and all points in the South, and, via als connects with Ches. & Ohio East and

The 150 p. m., train connects with Ches. & Onio R. R. westward to Huntington, Cincinnati and all the Northwest, and Eastward to Richmond and the South East.
For MANASSAS DIVISION leave Wash

ingloss at \$ 10 a. m. daily, except Sunday, and arrive at Strasburg at 4.48 p. m. Leave Strasburg at 5.10 a. m., and arrive at Alexandria 2 For WARRENTON leave Washington daily

at 840 a.m. Leave Warrenton at 9 35 a.m. to connect with Mail south bound, and at 2 35 p. in to connect with the Mail north bound. Trains from South arriving at Washington at 3, 5, in, 600 p. m. and 125 a. m. make mass tions with Balt. & Ohio and Balt. & Po tourse trains to Baltimore. Philadelphia and New York, and to all points North and North-

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MAGNIFICENT EQUIPMENT.

January 1, 1877.

Trains leave Washington from depot of BAL
TIMORE & POTOMAC RAILROAD, cor-

ner of Sixth and B streets, as follows: For Phila., New York and the East, 2.05 a m and 9.20 p. m. daily, with Palace Cars. Limited Express of Pullman Parlor Cars 9.20 a m. daily, except Sunday. For Philadelphia and New York 1.30 p. m. daily, except Sunday; for Philadelphia 5.30 p. m. daily.

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Watkins. For Elmira, 9.55 a. m. daily, except Sunday.

LOCAL TRAINS.

For Alexandria, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 a. m., and 1, 3, 4.20, 5, 6.05 and 7 p.m. On Sunday at 9 a. m., and 1 and 7 p. in.

Trains loave Alexandria for Washington, 6, 7, 8 10, 9, 10 and 11 a. m., 1, 3, 4.20, 5, 6 and 7 p.m. On Sunday at 8.10 and 10 a. m., and 6 p. m.

THROUGH TRAIN FOR THE SOUTH, via Quantico and Richmond, will loave Alexandris at 2 20 a. m. daily, and 6.15 p. m. daily,

Tickets and information can be procured at principal railroad stations and ticket offices Southeast.

D. M. BOYD, Jr., Gen'l. Passenger Agent. FRANK THOMSON

General Manager. WASHINGTON & OHIO RAILROAD

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Beginning Oct. 20, 1876.
The Mail Train will leave Washington at 9 a.m., and Alexandria at 9:10 a.m., daily, except Sunday; pass Leaghurg, going westward at 11:20 a. m., and arrive at Kound Hill at 12 m. Leave Kound Hill at 12:30 p. m.; pass Leesburg, going eastward, at 1:10 p. m., and arrive at Alexandria at 3:15 p. m., and at Washington

at 3:30 p. m. The Accommodation Train will leave Wash ington at 4:20 p. m., and Alexandria at 4:25 , m., daily, except Sunday, and arrive at Leesburg at 6:40 p. m. Leave Leesburg at 6 a. m. and arrive at Alexandria at 8:15 a. m., and Washington at 8.30 a m.

189- Passengers from Washington will take the Washington and O' lo cars at the Banimore and Potomac Railroad station at 9a. m. and 4.20 p.m., and go through to Round Aill without

The 9.10 a m. train from Alexandria and 12,30 p. m. train from Round Hill connect at Round Hill with Harris' Daily Line of Coaches for Snickersville, Berryville and Winchester; also with Reamer's Line of Coaches, which leave Leesburg daily for Aldie and Middleburg. Both trains, westward, make close connection

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96 King street. TO BOXES CHOICE DANVILLE TO-SMOKING, at low prices. R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

TRY BIXBY'S BLACKING once and you will use no other.
McLEAN & UHLER, 107 King street CANADA OAT MEAL, Pin Head Oaten Grits, Pearl Barley and Split l'eas received

F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

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STEAMERS. CHEAP FARE! SPECIAL NOTICE!

On and after April 9th the Potomac Ferry Company will reduce the fare on their boats between Alexandria and Wash-Round trip tickets [sp 7—1w]

FOR POTOMAC RIVER LANDINGS.

On and after Monday, February 26, 1877, the steamer MATTANO, Capt.
Wm. H. Byles, will be run as follows: Leave Alexandria EVERY MONDAY and THURS-DAY, from King street wharf, at 730 o'clock a.m., for Landings on the Potomac as far down as Nomini. Leave Nomini EVERY TUES-DAY and FRIDAY MORNING, at 6 o'clock, for Washington, arriving early the same evening. Freight received daily.
feb 28 J. BRODERS & CO., Agents.

THE POTOMAC FERRY COMPANY, February 23d, 1877. SPECIAL NOTICE—Both For-ry Boats will be on the line between Alexandria and Washington on and after Sun-day next, the 25th of February, running as

LEAVE ALEXANDRIA At 730, 830, 930, 1030 and 1130 a.m., and 12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30 and 6 p. m.

INLAND & BEAROARD COASTING CO.

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This company offers unrivalled facilities for the transportation of freight and passengers, and will run their stemmers regularly as follows:

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The Al Steamships E. C. KNIGHT and JOHN GIBSON leave the company's wharf, Alexandria, EVERY SATURDAY MORNING, and New York, from pier 41 East River, EVERY SATURDAY at four releases to the control of th

FOR NORFOLK.

The elegant, new and substantial iron steamer LADY of THE LAKE. leaves the company's wharf, Washington, EV. ERY MONDAY and THURSDAY, at three o'clock p. m., and Alexandria at 3.30 p. m.; returning, leaves Norfolk EVERY TUESDAY and FRIDAY, at 3 o'clock p. m. This line connects at Norfolk with the ships of the Merchants' and Miners' Transportation Company for Boston and Providence, and affords the cheapest and best route to those cities and their connections throughout New England. Fareto Norfolk \$4; round trip \$6. Tickets good

FOR THE POTOMAC RIVER LANDINGS.

The new and commodious iron steamer JOHN W. THOMPSON, built especially for this route, leaves the company's wharf, Washington, EVERY TUESDAY, THURSDAY, at 7 o'clock a. m., and Alexandria at 7.30 a. m.; returning, arrives EVERY WEDNESDAY FRIDAY and SUNDAY, at 6 o'clock p. m. This company makes close connections at Alexandria with the W. C., V. M. & G. S. R. R. Co. and with the W. & O. R. R. Co. Freight received for all points, North and South, handled with care and forwarded with promptness and dispatch.

For further information apply to F. A. REED, Agent, Janney's wharf, or at the office of the company, under the National Metropolitan Bank, 15th street, opposite the Treasury Department, Washington. mh 10 J. W. THOMPSON, President.

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Wharves. This line connects at Alexandria with the O. A. & M. and W. & O. K. Rs., and at Philadel-phia with the new and popular "Iron Line," for rovidence and Boston.

Freight forwarded with promptness and care. ree of commissions. No charge for transfer in Philadelphia, and no wharfage in Boston. Through to Boston in sixty-five hours. Through rates and through bills of lading given. Insurance guaranteed at less than usual rates.

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FRESH AND SALTED FISH Corporation Fish Whart, Alexandria, Virginia, Would inform dealers and others that they are

prepared to furnish them with all kinds of POTOMAC FISH at the lowest possible prices. We would call the attention of buyers to the fact that our brand has stood No. 1 in market at all times, and we intend to sustain our reputation in that respect.
All orders addressed to W. H. Smith & Co., Alexandria, Va, will receive prompt attention. mh 15--3m

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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in FRESHAND SALTEDFISH, Stands-Fish wharf and Market Building.

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WM. H. SMITH, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in OYSTERS, FISH, PRODUCE, &c., &c.,

No. 16 north Fairfax street,
Has constantly on hand Oysters of the best quality from Norfolk and elsewhere received fresh

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W E have the greatest variety of Waiters, Tea Trays, Children's Trays and Crumb Pans and Brushes in the city. McLEAN & UHLER, 107 King st. PRIME SCOTCH HERRING received and for sale cheap by sp 2 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st. _ap 2 TOILET SETS in great variety and Looking Glasses of all sizes at ap 12 McLEAN & UHLERS, 107 King st.

WHITE AND COLORED COUNTER-PANES very cheap just opened by ap 12 WM. N. BERKLEY & SON. TWO BBLS CHOICE PEELED PEACHES

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J. C. & E. MILBURN. DRY GOODS.

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(Successor to Slaymaker Company)

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Such ajvast amount of stock has never before boon exhibited at any one time in this city

Best of Standard Prints All wool Cashmeres in in the most elegant all the leading shades patterns cheaper than at 621c a yard.

Colored Silks of the newest shades and best qualities. The choicest styles in Ginghams, Percals, Cheviots and Shirt-

ings.

Basket Suitings in plain and plaid to match, for skirts and over-

A full and complete Pure Silk and Wool line in Mourning Poplins and Mohairs. Goods to suit the most fashionable.

Fancy Dress Goods in Damasse and Pongees, large variety, from the cheapest to the very finestin the mar

Madlose, in striped, fig-ured and plain, in all the finest grades.

A full and complete line in White Goods, Nainsooks, Swiss, Plaids, Stripes, Marseilles and

Insertings and Edgings, in Cambrics, Swiss, Jaconets, Everlastings, &c.

Newest designs in Bobbin and Everlast-

Handkerchiefs, in Linen, Silk and Lace, in all styles-Plain, Hemstitched and Colored Bor-

Hosiery, a complete line, of the very finest makes and latest styles, in colored and white.

Gloves and Gauntlet, in all grades, for ladies

Two and Throe Button Kid Gloves, in street and opera shades, in Silk, Lisle and Kid finished.

Collars and Cuffs, the newest styles out, single

An elegant line of Ladies' Bows and Scarfs, of the latest styles, just introduced for the

hrst time.

Towels, from the lowest grade up to the very finest, in plain, solid and figured borders, open worked and embroidered; the finest imported goods ever seen before.

The finest and most complete line of Shawls, in Zephyr, Silk and Wool, as fine as the finest ever imported

A complete line of Men's Wear, in Cloths and Cassimeres, for the most fashionable, at very

An entire new and well selected line of Hosiery, Shirts, Ties and Underwear

Gents' Kid Gloves, of the best known makes, in all shades.

Carpets, Oil Cloths, Mattings, Rugs and Mats; a complete line, all newly bought, of the best designs and styles, at extremely low prices. Our carpet room, on the second floor, (entrance through the store has just been newly fitted up, to which we invite the attention of the ladies of Alexandria and vicinity.

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WILLIAM N. BERKLEY & SON Have opened Ladies' and Gentlemen's Hose, a fine assort-Ladies' and Gentlemen's Linen Cambric

Handkerchiefs. Corsets, Collars and Cuffs. Desirable and A NOTHER LARGE LINE OF CHOICE

DRY GOODS.

Dry Goods at Popular Prices.

We opened to-day Staple and Fancy Goods in great variety, and invite an early examination. Black Goods a specialty. Goods sold to country

merchants at about Baltimore prices. Our stock is Elling up very fast, and we defy competition. D. F. BRASHEAR, H. B. Hoomes. No. 109 King street, Alexandria, Va.

IN REMNANTS, AT FIVE CENTS PER YARD.

1000 YARDS BEST CALICOES,

D. BENDHEIM, 112 King street, adjoining the Marshall House. BLACK SILKS AND HENRIETTA CLOTHS. A full line of the above goods at low prices

received to day, together with other choice goods. Call and see them. D. F. BRASHEAR. 109 King st., Alexandria, Va. CLOSING OF THE

GREAT COMBINATION STORE.

Mr. HENRY SCHWARZ respectfully announces to the citizens of Alexandria that he has this day accepted engagements with Mr Isaac Richborg, successor to Slaymaker Co., for the purpose of taking the management of that business, and will resign as Manager of the Combination Store. The stock, Fixtures and Merchandise of the latter will be sold out im-

mediately, either in parts or the whole, at a GREAT SACRIFICE. Mr. S. has made arrangements and marked all his goods down so as to have the entire stock closed out by the early part of April. POSITIVELY CLOSING OUT SALE. The dealers are cordially invited.

Respectfully, HENRY SCHWARZ, Manager Combination Store. PRETZFELDER & COMPY.

Are now opening NOVELTIES IN SPRING GOODS,

and would name in part-Dolman Cloths, new styles and colorings, with

Fringes to match. Newest Fabrics in imported Dress Goods, in

ontirely new shades. Cassimores, Worsteds, Diagonals, Meltons 6-4 Cloths, &c., in large variety; newest de-

signs at unusually attractive prices. Spring shades of Kid Gloves, in two buttons,

at \$1. Every pair warranted. PRETZFELDER & CO., Ludwell Baldwin. No. 144 King street. B. P. Taylor.

NEW GOODS. Just received direct from New York a very handsome line of BLACK GRO. GRAIN SILKS.

These goods are very handsome and cheap. Parties in want of Black Silks will find it to pay them to look at them. They range in price from \$1 50 to \$2 50 per yard.

Very handsome Navy Blue and Invisible

Pin Stripe do. for the Spring sales. Black Cashmeres, Tamise Cloth and other Mourning Goods.

A fine stock of Cashmere Long Shawls; square

Black Crapo Veils. Best Black Kid Gloves, Prints, Bloached Goods, Lonsdale Cambries, Alpacas very cheap, with other Dress Goods. J. M. STEWART. NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

New line of CASSIMERES for men and boys' wear, very cheap.

1000 yards of FINE IRISH LINEN, in romnants, at half price.

Auction lot of FINE HAMBURG EDGING from 4c up.

KID GLOVES in all shades; every pair guar-

Also a complete line of TATLOR S TRIM-

MINGS, &c.

D. BENDHEIM, 112 King st., Adj'g. Marshall flouso.

FANCY GOODS. SUN UMBRELLAS! SUN UMBRELLAS!

to suit the times at C. C. BERRY'S. ap 10 FRINGESI FRINGEST FRINGEST A full line of Worsted Fringes and Collars at

A full line of the above just opened at prices

C. C. BERRY'S. FERGUSON & BROTHER.

NEW GOODS, Consisting in part of Ladies' and Children's Fancy Lace Bibs, Ties, Bows, Ruillings; a large assortment of Hamburg and Nainsook Edgings at very low prices; Millinery Ornaments in all the new designs, in Pearl, Gilt and Shell; Bustles and Hoop Skirts, all styles, on hand and made to order at short notice; Alexander's Kid Gloves, in all the new spring shades, at \$1 per pair—every pair warranted; our 75 et. Glove is a very good article; Worsted Fringes and Buttons, in all shades; a large assortment of Corsets at all prices; our celebrated Sanitary Corset is recommended by medical men as the best in the market; Walnut and Rustic Frames in all sizes; Hair Braids, Puffs and Curls, in all shades, constantly on hand.

JAS. FERGUSON & BRO.,

C.M.ADAMS, Ladies' & Gents' Furn'g. Goods.

LADIES DEPARTMENT. Kid Gloves, Hosiery, Underwear, Corsets, Scarfs, Collars and Cuils, Handkerchiefs, &c.

Bows, &c. NOTION DEPARTMENT. Cotton, Pins, Needles, Thread, Buttons, Edg-ings, Zephyr Worsted, Shetland Wool, German-town Wool, Saxony Yarns, &c. nov 8 C. M. ADAMS, No. 92 King st.

An Englishman in Virginia.

[Cor. of the N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.] RICHMOND, April 9.—"Sir," said Mr. Vestryman Blogg one day last week, "Have you seen that notice in the Dispatch? This is the paragraph to which the great statesman re-

"Mr. Vestryman Blogg will examine the various candidates for next Governor at the

Exchange Hotel to-day."

The ex leader of the London Vesiry Board said he wished me to go with him to the examination, and so we started. On arriving at the Exchange Hotel we found four hundred and tifty enterprising and industrious aspirants for gubernatorial honors eager and anxious to obtain certificates of proficiency. The great vestryman opened the proceedings with the following address :

"Fellow-Citizens: This is the age of competitive examination. Civil service reform is the order of the day. President Hayes is in favor of civil service reform everywhere except in the Richmond postoffice, and he will come round to that after awbile. The British Government has recently promoted Lord Beaconsfield after forty years' graduation in the House of Com-Competitive examinations are so universal in England that policemen have to gradnate in the use of the rattle. Even the London Vestry Board, of which I was once an humble member, has adopted civil service reform, and examines vestrymen in astronomy and medicine. Virginia cannot afford to be behind the other great countries in this matter. Hence the State Constitution has been amended so as to make it a sinc qua non that every candidate for the position of Governor or Lieutenant-Governor should, previous to entering the contest, pass an examination as to his qualifications. The General Assembly has appointed me to conduct the examinations, and upon re-

ceiving my certificate of proficiency any one of you will be at liberty to get elected if you can.' The candidates then came forward and were examined in a private room one at a time. Vesryman Blogg showed himself the right man in the right place as grand examiner for the Commonwealth, but some of the candidates soon came to grief. About three hundred were dismissed because they were unable to explain he tobacco inspection laws. Seventy-five more were unable to furnish a scientific account of the Moffett whiskey punch. Thirty broke down when asked to expound the present position of the James river and the Kanawha canal. I'wenty more had to beat a retreat because they could not give any satisfactory reason for believing the Funding bill to be a fraud. The rest of the eandidates having furnished Vestryman Blogg with answers which he deemed all right, were then requested to explain their poeations. It may itical views and peculiar qualit not be uninteresting to note down a few of the Take Simmons' Liver Regulator opinions expressed and arguments advanced.

Gen. W. H. F. Lee said he was a granger. The next governor ought to be a farmer, and he was a regular, unmistakable, barn yard, blooded stock, fertilizing, first class farmist. If the next Governor were not a farmer there would be no consolation in turnips, no comfort in tomatoes, and nothing toothsome in sweet corp. The farmers were the backbone of the country, and there would be nothing left worth living for in the State if Old Tuckahoe went back on the agricultural persuasion. The down tredden farmers demanded relief and protest against their oppressed condition. All great men had been farmers. William Shakspeare John Milton, Oliver Cromwell, Napoleon Bo naparte, the Duke of Wellington, Daniel O'Connel, Mr. Gladstone, and Lord Bacons field were examples of what farmers could do when placed in office. The granger had de termined to save the country, and would march

to victory in yellow aprons and calico sashes.
Col. F. W. M. Holliday, of Winchester, said that he had been a Centennial Commissioner and a conservative elector-at large, and didn't think he need to say any more than that. But the people of the Valley considered that their part of the State was the only section worth living in, and that they could grow grass and Governors to perfection.

The Rev. Judge Watkins, of Prince Edward, said that he had spent the best part of his life in grinding out parsons. If he became Lieut. Governor he could lead the devotions of the

Senate, if necessary. Gen. Wm. Terry, of Whytheville, said the great Southwest claimed the Governorship. lie had been in Congress, and was the only Old-Line Whig in the Virginia delegation. He had also done the State immense service in extinguishing Fayette McMullin, and he would pledge himself to rigorously suppress Congress-

man Pridemore.
Major John W. Daniel, of Lynchburg, said he was tired of being "a rising young statesman," and felt that it would be more agreeable to his feelings to be allowed to develop into "a statesman who had risen." The city of Lynch-burg was the birthplace of all men who became famous, and he had refused to be born any where else, for fear of injuring his chances in life. He was the candidate of young Virginia, and baldheaded patriots hado't better be inter

Geo. Fitz Lee said he wanted to no where glory awaited him. He had accomplished more than Sir George Nates at the North Pole or Stanley in Africa. He had been to Boston. and was alive to tell the story. If he became Governor he would bring out a new edition of the "Polite Letter Writer" for the use of fam-

ilies and schools. Col. Godwin, of Portsmouth, said he only desired to be of service to his fellow citizens, and either the Attorney Generalship or the Lientenant Governorship would meet his mod erate views. But he wished it to be understood that "there was a tidewater in the affairs

of Virginia." General Taliaferro said that the old Commenwealth sadly needed the application of a little "Mexican Mustang Liniment" to the sores of the body politic, and he thought he

could do the business. General Mahone said he was the candidate of the Southside, and that that Nazareth of the State ought to be redeemed. The Southside people were remarkable for early piety, electeral arithmetic, broom sedge grass, old field pine, Meekins's Twinses, ter-backer, cross roads groceries, and general high tonedness. The General cocked his hat, and said that if he because Governor old Virginia would never

The Han, Stanhope Flournoy, of Danville,

said that being an elder of the church and "an old war horse," everybody knew him. He admitted that he had once believed in the science at Agnestics, but he had changed his views and if he were elected Governor, would pledge schr Rhoda Holmes, and for sale at lowest mar-Kid Gloves, Collars and Cuffs, Hosiery, Shirts, Handkerchiefs, Underwear, Scarfs Ties and Bows, &c.

NOTION DEPARTMENT.

Kid Gloves, Collars and Cuffs, Hosiery, Shirts, himself not to interfere with Carl Schurz or any other man who had not heard the eagle scream in childhood's days.

Col. William Bandeleh Barbelov, of Ferm

Col. William Randolph Berkeley, of Farm ville, said that his family had had a longer and more extensive experience in the Gubernatorial profession than any other of the F. F. V's. sale by BOXES PRIME DAIRY CHEESE; Boy Box Butter, for [ap 16] W. A. JOHNSON. ial profession than any other of the F. F. V's. [sale by [ap 16]

the wit and wisdom of Sir William Delacity, Lord Botetourt, and John Randolph, of Roanoke, was not to be had every day.

Prof. Puryear, of Richmond College, was for Virginian sum, but objected to counting

niggers in. He considered Thomas Carlyle's "Discourse on the Nigger Question" ought to be made a text book in schools and colleges. He didn't care a-divinity student-about being Governor, but if elected he would abolish nigger schools right away, and make this a white man's country.

Vestryman Blogg isquired if the Professor had ever heard of the White Quakers in Ireland, a peculiar people, who would use nothing that was not white, and who waged relentless. war on everything black, going so far as to whitewash coals before burning them? The Professor said he would consider about becom-

ing a White Quaker. The Hon, and Rev. J. E. Massey, of Albemarle, better known as "Parson Massey," said his motto was :--

"Independence! Lord of the lion heart and eagle eye.'

As a matter of choice an independent ticket suited him best. His lion heart had never quailed before Gen. Johnson, and his eagle eye had carefully sought out "ways that were dark and tricks that were vain." He had pleasure in asking the brethren to join in singing that good old hymn :-

Sinners repent ere 'tis too late,

Salvation means re-pu-di-ate. The Funding bill was a fraud, and the State debt meant damnation. Ex-Gov. Gilbert C. Walker said that he had just called round to shake hands with his dis-tinguished friend the vestryman. He had already been Governor, and would not object to another experience, provided that Jack Wren would promise that Kemper should not get his sest in Congress. He had hopes of becoming Speaker

of the House of Representatives, and therefore was not very anxious about the Governorship. Col. Neely, of Accomac, said his section wanted to have the next Governor for two reasons. One was that Henry A. Wise was born reasons. One was that Henry A. Wise was born there. The second was that at the last Conservative State Convention a wicked and profame person named Holiday had pronounced the name of Accomac as it it were spelt Accomick, and his people were not disposed to endure such treatment. An intimate acquaintance with oysters enable him to say that an Accomac Governor would be able to open up the road to peace and plenty for the State.

Major W. T. Sutherin, of Pittsylvania, said that he would consent to become Governor pro-

that he would consent to become Governor provided the State would pass a free railroad law. He hoped to see the day when every chivalric son of the sacred soil of Virginia would have his own railroad. If elected, he proposed to start a factory for supplying railroads wholesale, retail, and for exportation. In time it would be understood by every body that a railroad was a handy thing to have around, and, in fact, was indespensable to every well-regulated family.
After this, Mann S. Valentine, esq., invited
Mr. Vestryman Blogg and the various canditates to partake of most juice, and the great Guber-natorial examination of 1877 ended in general

rejoicing.

MEDICINAL.

For all diseases of the Liver, Stomach and Spleen.

WILL CURE DYSPEPSIA.

I MUST OWN that your Simmons' Liver Regulator fully deserves the popularity it has attained. As a family medicine it has no equal. It cured my wife of a malady I had counted incurable -that wolfsbane of our Amorican people, Dyspepsia. A. E. P. ALBERT,

Professor in Nicholas Pub-lic School, Parish of Terrebonne, La.

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